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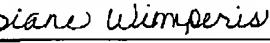
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1403 300	2403 150	Request for oral hearing		
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition to Institute a public use proceeding		
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Dear Sir:

With regard to the above-identified application, the items of information listed on the enclosed Form 1449 are brought to the attention of the Examiner.

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Respectfully submitted,

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